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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
CONSTRUCTING A SPEECH FILTER  
USING ESTIMATES OF CLEAN SPEECH  
AND NOISE

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Examiner: Siedler, Dorothy S.

**AMENDMENT**

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 5, 2008. Please  
amend the above-identified application as follows.